

11. (Original) Use of powder-type cracking catalyst having an aluminum oxide content of at least 35 % by weight as base material or aggregate for the production of mineral wool.

REMARKS

The above preliminary amendment is made to bring the claims into U.S. standard format.

Applicant respectfully requests that this preliminary amendment be entered into the record prior to calculation of the filing fee and prior to examination and consideration of the above-identified application.

If a telephone conference would be helpful in resolving any issues concerning this communication, please contact Applicant's attorney of record, Michael B. Lasky at (952) 253-4106.

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